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		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) 10/568,607
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP2003/015953	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 12 DEC 2003 (12.12.03)	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 3 OCT 2003 (3.10.2003)
TITLE OF INVENTION SPHERE-SHAPED COATED MAGNESIUM OXIDE POWDER, METHODCOMPRISING THE POWDER		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Toshio KIYOKAWA, Kaori YAMAMOTO, and Masaaki KUNISHIGE		
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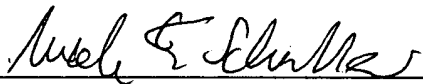
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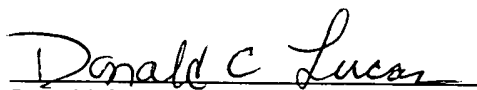
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